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Dear Sir:

The following documents are being forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Response to Restriction Requirement;

2. Amendment Subsequent to Restriction Requirement;

3. Information Disclosure Statement:

4. PTO/SB/08a (list of references);

5. References: C1-C12;

6. Return postcard.

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